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## RESTRICTION PRESENTED

The claims have been restricted into the following groups of inventions:

<u>Groups</u>	<u>Claims</u>	Subject Matter
1	1-38, 40-48	Drawn to channel allocation
П	39	Drawn to evaluation of the handoff

## APPLICANTS' ELECTION

Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group I, claims 1-38 and 40-48, drawn to channel allocation, for prosecution at this time. Accordingly, Applicants hereby cancel non-elected claim 39, while reserving the right to file related application(s) based on claim 39.

## <u>REMARKS</u>

Claims 1-48 are now pending in the subject U.S. patent application. Claims 1-48 as filed have been subjected to a Restriction/Election Requirement.

In response to the Restriction/Election Requirement, applicants have elected the claims of Group I, claims 1-38 and 40-48, for prosecution at this time.

Applicants hereby reserve the right to file one or more divisional patent applications directed to the unelected subject matter.